

REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application. No claims have been amended, canceled, or added by this Response. Therefore, claims 1-30 are presented for examination.

35 U.S.C. §121 Election/Restrictions

The Patent Office has issued a restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to one of the following inventions:

- I. Claims 1-8 and 16-21, drawn to a method of determining whether a device emits EMI in one or more regions, classified in class 455, subclass 41.1;
- II. Claims 9-12 and 22-26, drawn to a method of determining whether a device emits EMI within current location vs. the previous location, classified in class 455, subclass 456.1.
- III. Claims 13-15 and 27-30, drawn to determining status conditions if a device emits EMI based on its unacceptable levels, classified in class 455, subclass 513 (based on ranking on signal strengths).

In response to the restriction, Applicant hereby elects to prosecute the claims of Group I (claims 1-8 and 16-21) in this application. Applicant makes this election without prejudice to the right to prosecute the non-elected claims in another patent application.

Conclusion

The Examiner is invited to initiate an interview with the undersigned by calling 949-498-0601 if the Examiner believes that such an interview will advance prosecution of this application.

Request for an Extension of Time

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). Please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0221 to cover the necessary fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) for such an extension.

Charge our Deposit Account

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